IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph at page 8, line 24 to page 9, line 11, as follows:

To achieve these and other advantages and in accordance with the purpose of the invention, as embodied and broadly described herein, the invention provides an image processing apparatus including: a command analyzing unit obtaining color information of each endpoint of an object by analyzing a drawing command; a draw processing unit obtaining the color information of successive scanned points inside the object through incremental interpolation of the color information, thereby successively producing the color information for an entirety of the object; and an image processing unit processing the color information outputted by the draw processing unit, wherein the draw processing unit further includes a color information interpolating unit controlling change of color by interpolating color in horizontal and vertical directions in accordance with a mesh, which is shaped as a square surrounding the object and is divided into minimal color lengths in vertical and horizontal directions.

Please delete the paragraphs at page 9, line 12 to page 11, line 20.

Please amend the paragraph at page 11, line 21 to page 12, line 4, as follows:

The present invention also provides an image processing method comprising the steps of: a) obtaining color information of each endpoint of an object by analyzing a drawing command; b) obtaining the color information of successive scanned points inside the object through incremental interpolation of the color information, thereby successively producing the color information for an entirety of the object; and c) processing the color information outputted in step b), wherein step b) further includes a step of: controlling change of color by

interpolating color in horizontal and vertical directions in accordance with a mesh, which is shaped as a square surrounding the object and is divided into minimal color lengths in vertical and horizontal directions.

Please delete the paragraphs at page 12, line 5 to page 14, line 3.

Please amend the paragraph at page 14, lines 4-13, as follows:

The present invention also provides an image processing program including the functions of: a) obtaining color information of each endpoint of an object by analyzing a drawing command; b) obtaining the color information of successive scanned points inside the object through incremental interpolation of the color information, thereby successively producing the color information for an entirety of the object; and c) processing the color information outputted in function b), wherein function b) further includes a function of: controlling change of color by interpolating color in horizontal and vertical directions in accordance with a mesh, which is shaped as a square surrounding the object and is divided into minimal color lengths in vertical and horizontal directions.

Please delete the paragraphs at page 14, line 14 to page 16, line 14.